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Program: Durable Medical Equipment (DME) and Supplies

Document: Durable Medical Equipment (DME) and Supplies Billing Instructions

Effective Date: Effective for dates of service on and after August 1, 2009.

Summary: The Department of Social & Health Services (the Department) revised the

DME billing instructions as described in numbered memo 09-57 which was issued July 30, 2009. These changes were effective for dates of service on and after August 1, 2009. The billing instructions inadvertently omitted a portion

of the "Other" DME Coverage Table on page D.45 concerning Blood Monitoring. The purpose of this document correction is to rectify this

omission.

Effective for dates of service on and after August 1, 2009, DSHS is

amending this publication with the following:

Blood Monitoring

Code Status Indicator	HCPCS Code	Modifier	Description	PA?	Policy/ Comments
PD	A4660		Sphygmomanometer/blood pressure apparatus with cuff and stethoscope.	No	Purchase only. Limit of 1 per client every 5 years. Discontinued 8/1/2009
PD	A4663		Blood pressure cuff only.	No	Purchase only. Discontinued 8/1/2009
PD	A4670		Automatic blood pressure monitor.	No	Purchase only. Limit of 1 per client every 5 years. Discontinued 8/1/2009
PD	A9275		Home glucose disposable monitor, include test strips.	No	Purchase only. Discontinued 8/1/2009

Code Status Indicator	HCPCS Code	Modifier	Description	PA?	Policy/ Comments
	E0607		Home blood glucose monitor.	No	Purchase only. Limit of 1 per client, per 3 years.
	E2100		Blood glucose monitor with integrated voice synthesizer.	Yes	Purchase only. Limit of 1 per client, per 3 years.
#	E2101		Blood glucose monitor with integrated lancing/blood sample.		Removed from this table as non-covered 8/1/2009

Who Does This Affect?

The change affects all Durable Medical Equipment (DME) Providers, Pharmacists, and Managed Care Organizations.

How Can I Get Department/HRSA Provider Documents?

To download and print Department/HRSA provider numbered memos and billing instructions, go to the Department/HRSA website at http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov (click the Billing Instructions and Numbered Memorandum link).

Who Do I Contact If I Have Questions?

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